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Honorable Michael A. Telesca United States District Judge Western District of New York 100 State Street Rochester, New York 14614

Re:

Jeffrey Crosby v. Commissioner

16-CV-6300T

Dear Judge Telesca:

The Commissioner of Social Security has informed us that they are experiencing delays in the preparation of the responsive brief. The Government's response in this case is due April 3, 2017. The agency attorney requested our office obtain an extension to file the response. The plaintiff's attorney, Elizabeth Haungs, has agreed to an extension until May 3, 2017 for the Government to file its responsive brief.

Please contact me if you have any concerns. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully yours,

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SO ORDERED:

s/Michael A. Telesca

HONORABLE MICHAEL A. TELESCA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

DATED: 04/03/2017